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MERCHANIUM FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE.

Reference is made to your memorendum of 26 October 1950 wherein you requested authorization for an immediate increase in the number of active military personnel to be detailed to the Central Intelligence Agency of:

Army Havy Air Force

25X9

Totals

The Secretary of Defence has approved this increase and the consequent change in authorization for military personnel spaces and billets from that established by his memoraneam of 6 October 1919 to:

Army Newy Als Force

25X9

Totals

* Including U. S. Marine Corps

By copy of this memorandum, the Secretaries of the three Services are requested to expedite implementation of the approved increases, making arrangements direct with the Director of Central Intelligence.

The recommendation contained in paragraph 5 of your nemorendum relative to removal of specific personnel ceiling restrictions is currently under study and you will be advised as soon as a decision has been reached.

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K. R. KREPS Colonel, VAF Acting Executive Secretary

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